

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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ALON EZRA,		:	
	Plaintiff,	:	
		:	22 Civ. 10535 (LGS)
-against-		:	
		:	<u>ORDER</u>
THEORY, LLC,		:	
	Defendant.	:	
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LORNA G. SCHOFIELD, District Judge:

WHEREAS, the initial pretrial conference in this matter is scheduled for March 1, 2023.

WHEREAS, no significant issues were raised in the parties' joint letter or proposed case management plan. It is hereby

ORDERED that the March 1, 2023, initial pretrial conference is **CANCELLED**. If the parties believe that a conference would nevertheless be useful, they should inform the court immediately so the conference can be reinstated. It is further

ORDERED that Defendant's request for a stay of discovery deadlines pending resolution of a contemplated early motion is **DENIED**. The case management plan and scheduling order will issue in a separate order. The parties' attention is particularly directed to the provisions for periodic status letters, and the need for a pre-motion letter to avoid cancellation of the final conference and setting of a trial date. It is further

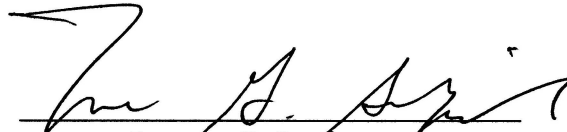
ORDERED that if Defendant seeks to file a motion to dismiss or Plaintiff seeks to file a motion for class certification, that party shall file a pre-motion letter pursuant to Individual Rules III.A.1 and III.C.2. It is further

ORDERED, regarding settlement discussions, if and when the parties are ready to proceed with a settlement conference with the assigned Magistrate Judge or mediation in the

Court's mediation program, they shall file a joint letter on ECF requesting a referral.

The parties should be aware that the Court does not extend the deadlines for fact and expert discovery absent compelling circumstances.

Dated: February 23, 2023
New York, New York



LORNA G. SCHOFIELD
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE